

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 192720

50

ORIGIN AF-18

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 ISO-00 CPR-02 PM-07 NSC-10 OPR-02 PA-03

RSC-01 SS-15 SY-10 USIA-15 PRS-01 A-01 EB-11 COME-00

/122 R

DRAFTED BY AF/C:HJCOHEN:OSM

APPROVED BY AF/C:COHEN

EUR/WE:MR. HABIB- SUBS

EUR/WE:MR. MANGER - SUBS

----- 086505

R 272033Z SEP 73

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS

UNCLAS STATE 192720

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, US, CT

SUBJECT: PRIVATE VISIT OF CAR PRESIDENT BOKASSA

1. PRESIDENT BOKASSA OF CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC HAS BEEN SCHEDULED MAKE PRIVATE VISIT TO US OCTOBER 10-18. A NUMBER OF PRIVATE BUSINESS FIRMS PLANNING EXTEND HOSPITALITY. DEPT HAS JUST LEARNED FROM ONE BUSINESS SOURCE THAT BOKASSA HAS CHANGED ARRIVAL DATE TO OCTOBER 12. DEPT UNDERSTANDS THAT BOKASSA AND PARTY ARE CURRENTLY IN BELGIUM. DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY MAKING CONTACT WITH CAR MISSION TO CONFIRM OCTOBER 12 ARRIVAL DATE. WOULD ALSO LIKE TO KNOW IF BOKASSA WILL NOW REMAIN UNTIL OCTOBER 20 OR PLANNING DEPART OCTOBER 18 AS PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED. INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR ASSISTANCE TO ORGANIZATIONS MAKING ADVANCE PREPARATIONS.

2. IN THE EVENT BOKASSA AND PARTY HAVE DEPARTED BRUSSELS AND REQUESTED INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE, WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY PARIS MAKING INQUIRIES AT CAR EMBASSY. DEPT
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 192720

UNDERSTANDS PARIS IS BOKASSA'S NEXT DESTINATION. KISSINGER

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: HEAD OF GOVERNMENT VISITS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 27 SEP 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973STATE192720
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: HJCOHEN:OSM
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t1973095/aaaaadqs.tel
Line Count: 61
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ORIGIN AF
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: thigpegh
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 20 AUG 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <20-Aug-2001 by reddocgw>; APPROVED <08 MAR 2002 by thigpegh>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PRIVATE VISIT OF CAR PRESIDENT BOKASSA
TAGS: PFOR, US, CT, (BOKASSA, JEAN BEDEL)
To: BRUSSELS
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005